IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Hans Brandl : Examiner unknown

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of DE 102 38 666.8, filed August 23, 2002

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For AIR SPRING WITH ROLLING BELLOWS: SECURED TO A ROLLDOWN TUBE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks PO. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above referenced patent application, which is a U.S. national application of DE 102 38 666.8, filed August 23, 2002, Applicant requests the application be amended as follows: